

SENATE BILL 1308

By Crowe

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49,  
relative to curriculum on Tennessee history.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 10, is amended by adding the following language as a new section:

Beginning in the 2017-2018 school year, each LEA shall require students in grades four through eight (4-8) to take one (1) year of instruction in Tennessee history.

The course shall be separate from the course required by § 49-6-1202 and shall comply with the requirements of § 49-6-1011. The curriculum shall be developed in consultation with the department of education.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it, and shall apply to the 2017-2018 school year and all school years thereafter.